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## Bombers lose a big man with a bigger heart

### Doug Brown.

The 11-year veteran who spent his entire CFL career with the Winnipeg Blue Bombers says goodbye

Doug Brown has made it official — he's hanging up the Blue and Gold.

"They say you come in to this game alone and you walk out of it alone as well, but I don't feel that way today," said the veteran Bombers defensive lineman while announcing his retirement at the Bombers of

fice Wednesday.

Brown also cited his friendship with late defensive line coach Richard Harris as a reason to call it quits. "When Richard passed last season I knew I'd never play another season of professional football."

The six-foot-eight, 290-pound tackle came to Winnipeg in 2001 after being drafted by the Calgary Stampeders fifth overall in 1997. He spent time in the NFL before returning to Calgary, where he was traded to Swaggerville. He quickly became one of the team's greatest players.

The seven-time CFL all-star picked up 52 career regular-

season sacks, was named the league's most outstanding Canadian in 2001 and was nominated for the CFL's most outstanding defensive player award in 2008.

Bombers head coach Paul LaPolice says he was just as successful at leading his team off the field. "He was always getting the younger players to do sit-ups with him, push-ups with him.... That's a testament to his understanding of what it takes to be a professional."

Brown says he hopes to stay in Winnipeg and will make a number of guest appearances on TSN's CFL broadcasts this season. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

### Baby born, bike stolen

New father who had his bike swiped while watching the birth of his daughter has turned to Facebook to try to track it down. PAGE 3

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Longtime Bomber defensive lineman Doug Brown talks to media after he officially retired on Wednesday.

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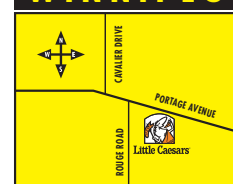
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# So cruel: His bike stolen as he watches his baby's birth

**Baby blues.** New dad turns to Facebook in a bid to find out who swiped his high-end Devinci Podium

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Winnipegger Jacques Marcoux went from incredibly happy to intensely irate.

Someone had stolen his high-end bike while he watched the birth of his first child.

"If it wasn't for the fact I'd just had this amazing baby, I'd be roaming around downtown looking for it," said the year-long cyclist of the 2001 Devinci Podium.

The bike was stolen from

## Tough to beat

"It's the best lock on the market.... The only way to break it would be with a power tool, which is what they used."

Jacques Marcoux

the main doors at the St. Boniface Hospital sometime Friday or Saturday.

Marcoux and his girlfriend had driven to the hospital Thursday. Marcoux left to get extra clothes after his daughter Amélie was born so the new family could spend their first night together.

He returned on his bike and locked it out front.

On Saturday, he found his top-notch tempered-steel bike lock in two pieces and a long extension cord — but no sign of the bike.

An electric grinder attached to two extension cords was used to free the bike, he added.

"There was like 100 feet of extension cord going across the grass to the bike racks, and they left it there."

Marcoux immediately turned to Facebook in a bid to find his bike and says he can't believe the response his posting has garnered in just a few days.

"It's like wildfire," said Marcoux, who's offering \$150 for the bike's return.

"I would think it's been shared and forwarded about 150 times already. It's pretty neat, really."

If you've seen Marcoux's bike, email him at jacques-marcoux11@hotmail.com.



Jacques Marcoux, 27, with his brand-new daughter Amélie. SHANE GIBSON/METRO

## Kelvin has a future — as community hub



Martin Landy, executive director of the Elmwood Community Resource Centre, said city council's removal of the Kelvin site from the surplus land list means "they heard what the community had to say." BERNICE PONTANILLA/METRO

## Second discovery

### Police mum after human remains found near Seine

Winnipeg police say human remains have been found near the Seine River.

But police aren't saying much else — except that the remains were found at about 6:10 p.m. on March 15

near the river bank around Archibald and Tremblay streets.

The homicide unit is investigating, and police say they are still trying to connect the incident with previous investigations.

This is the second time in less than a month human remains have been found in Winnipeg.

On Feb. 20, police say they found the partial remains of Darren Robert

Monias, 42, in a dumpster downtown.

Officers arrested Emery Miles McLeod, 38, in connection with the incident. McLeod and the victim lived together.

Police would not confirm that Monias' entire body was found in the dumpster.

Nor would they confirm if the leg found March 15 was connected to Monias' death.

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60-year-old facility was not worth fixing.

"At least we're getting some recognition that we exist here and getting it off the surplus list is a huge win," said longtime resident John King, who fought to keep Kelvin open.

With the council vote over, residents can now turn their attention to \$400,000 in announced funding.

That will be used for additions and renovations to what remains at the Kelvin site.

Elmwood Coun. Thomas Steen said that after consultation sessions with the community, the second hockey

rink at Kelvin will make way for a "skills park," including a basketball court.

Also on the horizon are plans for a skating trail, a skateboard park, a toboggan hill and two mini-soccer pitches.

Both King and Landy said residents do want another building to become a hub for the community.

"We don't have a building yet — yet — but we'll keep lobbying," King declared.

Currently, Kelvin is administered as a satellite site of the Bronx Park Community Centre.

BERNICE PONTANILLA/METRO

## Traffic delays

### Sherbrook Street lanes closed after shoring collapses

A small section of Sherbrook Street has collapsed during construction near the Health Sciences Centre.

Officials said Wednesday a section of shoring along the street "at the site of

the new Women's Hospital gave way and partially collapsed, causing some damage to Sherbrook Street."

There were no injuries.

Monday's rainstorm may have undermined the structure, officials believe.

All lanes on Sherbrook Street, between Elgin Avenue and William Avenue, will be closed for five days while repairs continue, the city says.

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On the web

### Ramsay skewers ex-resto

Celebrity chef Gordon Ramsay served his former Montreal restaurant with a \$2.7-million dollar lawsuit Wednesday. For more about the chef known not only for his delicatessens, but also for his feisty demeanour, go to metronews.ca/video



## Circumstantial case indicates guilt: Crown

### Closing argument.

The Crown prosecutor tells jury that Stobbe lied under oath, but defence says they haven't proven it



Mark Stobbe walks into the Law Courts building Tuesday.  
TREVOR HAGAN/THE CANADIAN PRESS

The Crown argued Wednesday while there were no witnesses to the violent death of his wife, there is a "compelling body of evidence" that Mark Stobbe killed her.

"It leaves you with an overwhelming circumstantial case pointing to the guilt of the accused," Wendy Dawson told the jury that has heard 80 witnesses over the last seven weeks.

Dawson presented her final submissions in which she reviewed much of the testimony and DNA evidence the Crown presented at Stobbe's second-degree murder trial — Beverly Rowbotham's bone fragments and blood found outside the couple's home and blood spatters in the family sedan, as well as testimony from some relatives that the marriage was strained.

"It was a crime of rage ... an argument that escalated into this brutal assault," Dawson

said.

Stobbe testified for six days, repeatedly denying the Crown's accusations and saying he wished he had been able to protect his wife.

Dawson told the jury Stobbe was not telling the truth.

"It's the Crown's position that Mr. Stobbe has lied to you under oath," she said.

Dawson has questioned Stobbe's story throughout the trial. Would a stranger commit such a brutal assault in a yard, steps away from the back door? Would a stranger get into the family car, open the garage door and drive the body away? And all without Stobbe hearing anything from inside the house?

The Crown has failed to prove Stobbe is the killer. No murder weapon was recovered and no DNA evidence has tied Stobbe to the murder.

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## Fires cause \$115K in damage

Fire ripped through this garage in the back lane of the 300 block of Roberta Avenue just before 2:30 a.m. Wednesday. The garage and a car inside were destroyed. At the same time, another fire caused damage at a vacant home in the 100 block of MacDonald Avenue in South Point Douglas. SHANE GIBSON/METRO

## Lawsuit. Family of man who died in Winnipeg ER has no case, says court

A Manitoba court judge has ruled that most of a lawsuit by the family of a man who died in a Winnipeg emergency room is groundless.

Brian Sinclair, a double amputee, died during a 34-hour wait in the ER of the Health Sciences Centre in 2008 from a treatable bladder infection.

Sinclair's lawyers had argued the Winnipeg Regional Health Authority and the province are responsible for his death because they violated his charter privacy rights and allowed the ER to operate even though it constituted a public nuisance to vulnerable, aboriginal patients.

But Court of Queen's Bench Master Shayne Berthaudin said in a written decision Tuesday that there was no evidence presented to back up those claims.

Berthaudin did rule that the family can sue the defendants for its out-of-pocket costs for participating in a provincially called inquest.

Toronto lawyer Vilko Zbogor says Sinclair's family will appeal the decision.

"The court essentially said that because Brian Sinclair is no longer alive, there's nobody left

### What happened

- Security tape showed 45-year-old Sinclair went to the triage desk at the hospital, spoke to an aide then wheeled himself into the waiting room.
- 34 hours later, someone approached a security guard to say Sinclair was dead.
- Sinclair was rushed into a treatment area where emergency staff tried to revive him.
- An inquest has been called into his death but has been delayed by a criminal investigation.

who is alive who can pursue the claim for the breach of his right to life. Seems a little bit ironic in our view."

The health authority has already paid out \$110,000 in damages to the Sinclair family to settle a portion of the lawsuit that dealt directly with the family's claim for loss of care, guidance and companionship for his wrongful death.

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# Mulcair looks to wrap up top NDP job

**Politics.** Montreal MP seen as front-runner as Saturday's NDP-leadership vote approaches

He hesitated at the starting gate, but after a seven-month marathon Thomas Mulcair is leading the pack as it pounds down the home stretch of the federal NDP leadership race.

The only question is whether he can be nipped at the wire.

Inside bettors suggest probably not. But the NDP's com-

plicated process for selecting a successor to the late Jack Layton makes it difficult to handicap the outcome with any confidence, even at this late stage.

Whether any of his six rivals can beat the Montreal MP to the finish line Saturday depends on a host of unpredictable factors, including how many of the 131,000 eligible New Democrats actually vote, how far ahead Mulcair is on the first ballot, the order in which trailing contenders drop off the ballot and whether their supporters move primarily to one candidate or scatter.

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## Possible appeal

### Crown reviewing James sentence

A spokesperson for Manitoba Justice says the Crown is reviewing the prison sentence handed to disgraced

junior hockey coach Graham James for sexual abuse. The Crown has 30 days to decide whether to appeal.

James was sentenced Tuesday for repeated sexual assaults on retired NHL star Theo Fleury and his cousin, Todd Holt, in the 1980s and '90s. THE CANADIAN PRESS



## Kickin' back as temperatures surge

International-development student Ariane Michaud enjoys the warm weather as she hangs out at Dalhousie University in Halifax on Wednesday. Canadians from coast to coast are enjoying an unseasonably warm start to spring, with temperatures expected to be as high as 27 C in some parts of the country on Thursday. RYAN TAPLIN/METRO IN HALIFAX

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# Sombre memorial for bus-crash victims

**Funeral.** Belgium mourns for 28 killed, most of them children

King Albert II and thousands of mourners on Wednesday remembered the 28 victims of last week's bus crash in a Swiss tunnel during a memorial service centring on the 22 schoolchildren whose promise of youth was shattered by sudden death.

Under a sparkling sky, in Lommel, Belgium, soldiers took part in a solemn procession that carried 15 coffins into a 5,000-capacity hall. The brown casket contained the remains of a teacher and the 14 white ones held the bodies of children who were on the cusp of their teenage years.

The students and the teacher were from one of two schools in northern Belgium that shared a bus for a traditional "snow class" vacation

## Loss

**"Is there something worse than parents who lose what they love most?"**

Peter Vanvelthoven  
Mayor of Lommel, Belgium

in Switzerland. They were returning from that exuberant holiday on March 13 when tragedy struck. Their bus, carry-

ing 52 people, slammed into a tunnel wall. In addition to the dead, 24 children were injured.

The cause of the crash remains under investigation.

A separate service will be held Thursday for the victims from the other school, in the town of Heverlee.

Three girls who were on the trip remain in Switzerland. They were badly injured, but they have regained consciousness and are out of immediate danger. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**



Mourners watch a memorial service on a video screen outside an arena in Lommel, Belgium, on Wednesday. **ERMINDO ARMINO/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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## Somalia kidnapping

**Hostage released but learns of husband's death**

Somali pirates holding a British woman hostage for six months gave her medicine but did not tell Judith Tebbutt they had killed her husband during an attack on their Kenyan beach resort.

Pirates freed Tebbutt on Wednesday after reportedly being paid a ransom. Gunmen killed her husband, David Tebbutt, during the September kidnapping attack, but Tebbutt did not learn of the death for two more weeks.

"I just assumed he was alive," Tebbutt said haltingly in a video broadcast by the BBC, adding that her son told her of the killing. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

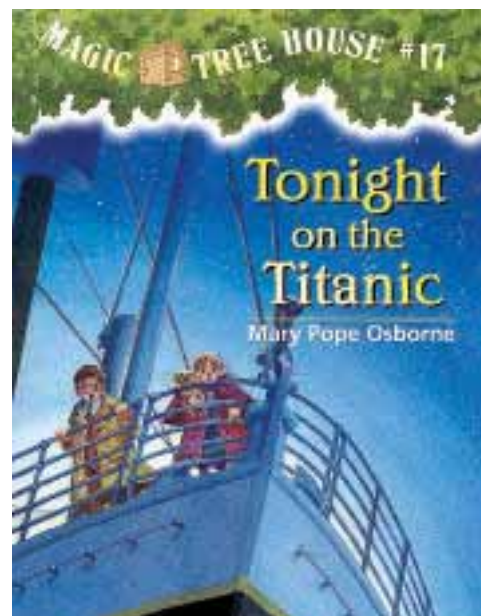
## Trayvon Martin

**Rights groups demand arrest in shooting**

Civil-rights leaders in the U.S. pressured authorities to make an arrest in the case of an unarmed black teenager shot to death by a neighbourhood-watch captain after declaring victories in getting federal and state officials to investigate.

The case has become a nationwide sensation and ignited a furor against the police department of the Orlando suburb of Sanford, where 17-year-old Trayvon Martin was shot last month. It has prompted rallies around the state and a protest in Gov. Rick Scott's office Tuesday. The Justice Department has opened a civil-rights probe into the shooting.

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## Titanic tales for kids

In the lead-up to the 100th anniversary of the sinking of the Titanic, many parents, teachers and writers of children's books are balancing potentially scary details with more inspirational fare focused on survivors. Mary Pope Osborne's children's book, *Tonight on the Titanic*, is aimed at six- to 10-year-olds and features her kid characters Jack and his sister, Annie. **CONTRIBUTED/RANDOM HOUSE BOOKS FOR YOUNG READERS**



# Standoff with suspected terrorist leads to firefight



On Wednesday French police attempted to apprehend a suspect in the shooting at the Ozar Hatorah Jewish school. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Riot police set off explosions outside an apartment building early Thursday in an effort to force the surrender of a gunman who boasted of bringing France "to its knees" with an al-Qaida-linked terror spree that killed seven people.

As the standoff dragged into a second day, hundreds of heavily armed police, some in body armour, cordoned off the five-storey building in Toulouse where the 24-year-old suspect, Mohamed Merah, had been holed up.

Just after midnight, three explosions were heard and orange flashes lit up the night sky near the building. An Interior Ministry official said the suspect had gone back on a previous pledge to turn himself in — and that police blew

up the shutters outside the apartment window to pressure him to surrender.

Hours later two new blasts and a burst of gunfire were heard, though officials said no full-out assault was under way.

Authorities were "counting on his great fatigue and weakening," said Didier Martinez of the SGP police union, adding the siege could go on for hours. Street lights were also cut, making Merah more visible to officers with night vision goggles in case of an assault.

Authorities said he told negotiators he killed a rabbi and three young children at a Jewish school on Monday and three French paratroopers last week to avenge the deaths of

Palestinian children and to protest the French army's involvement in Afghanistan, as well as a government ban last year on face-covering Islamic veils.

Those slain at the Jewish school, all of French-Israeli nationality, were buried in Israel on Wednesday as relatives sobbed inconsolably. The bodies of Rabbi Jonathan Sandler, his sons Arie, 5, and Gabriel, 3, and eight-year-old Myriam Monsenego had been flown there earlier in the day.

"He has no regrets, except not having more time to kill more people, and he boasts that he has brought France to its knees," Paris Prosecutor Francois Molins told a news conference.

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Family members react Wednesday during the funeral of the victims of Monday's shooting in Toulouse, France. SEBASTIAN SCHEINER/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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# Kony 2012 director diagnosed with brief psychosis, says spouse

**In recovery.** Jason Russell's wife says his breakdown due to 'shock' after video gets 84-million hits

The director of a wildly popular video about brutal African warlord Joseph Kony has been diagnosed with a mental condition triggered by trauma or stress and is expected to stay in the hospital for weeks, his wife said Wednesday.

Jason Russell, 33, director of the Kony 2012 video that has been viewed more than 84-million times on YouTube, was hospitalized last week in California after witnesses saw him running through streets in his underwear, screaming incoherently and banging his fists on the pavement.

Russell was given a preliminary diagnosis of brief reactive psychosis.



Jason Russell speaks at an Invisible Children event. He was hospitalized in California after witnesses saw him behaving strangely. KRIS CONNOR/GETTY IMAGES

"Doctors say this is a common experience given the great mental, emotional and physical shock his body has gone through in these last two weeks. Even for us, it's hard to understand the sudden transition from relative anonymity to worldwide attention — both raves and ridicules, in a matter of days," wife Danica Russell said in

a statement.

Brief reactive psychosis is triggered by trauma or major stress such as an accident or the death of a loved one. Other stressors can include sleep deprivation or dehydration. Symptoms include delusions, hallucinations, and strange speech and behaviour.

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## UN Security Council calls for ceasefire in Syria

UN Security Council diplomats said Wednesday they have agreed on a council statement backing envoy Kofi Annan's efforts to end the yearlong bloodshed in Syria.

The non-binding statement calls for a ceasefire in Syria and opening conflict areas to humanitarian aid. The governments of the 15 council nations had been given until Wednesday to raise any objections to the text of the statement. Diplomats said none had done so.

In a bid to win support from Russia and China, France watered down its proposed Security Council statement. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Kofi Annan gives a statement after his address to the Security Council. MARTIAL TREZZINI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

### Mauritania

#### African nation denies extradition

A high-ranking government official from Mauritania is denying that the country agreed to hand over one of Moammar Gadhafi's ex-intelligence chiefs for trial in Libya.

His comment comes after Libya's spokesman said Mauritania was planning to extradite Abdullah al-Senoussi back to Libya. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

### Washington

#### Romney closing in on nomination

The Republican establishment is increasingly lining up behind Mitt Romney in the race to choose a candidate to challenge U.S. President Barack Obama, finally giving clarity to a long and grinding nominating contest that has exposed deep divisions within the party.

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### Analysis

## Senators speak out over Kony's crimes

A bipartisan group of 34 U.S. senators introduced a resolution Wednesday condemning Joseph Kony and his ruthless guerrilla group for a 26-year campaign of terror in central Africa that has been marked by child abductions and widespread killings.

The measure backs the effort of Uganda, the Democratic Republic of Congo, the Central African Republic and the newest country, South Sudan, to stop Kony and his Lord's Resistance Army.

The legislation also signals support for the U.S. effort to help regional forces pursue commanders of the militia group. Last October, U.S. President Barack Obama sent about 100 troops to central Africa as advisers to regional forces.

The U.S. designated the LRA a terrorist organization in 2001.

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## New partnership takes flight

A model of a commercial C919 jumbo jet is displayed at the Asian Aerospace International Expo in Hong Kong in 2009. Bombardier signed an agreement Wednesday to collaborate on forthcoming projects with China's COMAC aircraft manufacturer. VINCENT YU/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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### Employment

#### Report: Promise of pipeline job boom exaggerated

Enbridge's proposed \$5.5-billion Northern Gateway Pipeline won't create nearly as many jobs as the company has proposed, says a new report by the Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives. The report argues that the pipeline will create 1,850 construction jobs per year for three years and a "handful of permanent new jobs" when complete. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

### Pipeline

#### Obama to call for fast-tracking of Keystone leg

U.S. President Barack Obama is ordering federal agencies to expedite the approval process for the southern leg of TransCanada's Keystone XL pipeline. The president is expected to direct the agencies to fast-track the pipeline on Thursday in Cushing, Okla., where there's a glut of Mid-west oil that can't easily get to refineries on the Gulf of Mexico. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

## Budget. Environmental assessment changes loom

Next week's budget will propose a streamlined environmental assessment process, something which will delight the oil patch and give provinces a larger say over resource development.

But one part under consideration for the package — reforms to the Fisheries Act that would end federal oversight over much of the country's fresh water — is proving difficult for some provinces to swallow, sources say.

The environmental changes will be pitched as part of a major theme of the budget:

Get government out of the way and let corporations flourish.

They will reflect commitments made increasingly frequently by Prime Minister Stephen Harper and his environment and natural resource ministers, to remove barriers to investment and development.

Specific legislative amendments and regulatory fixes will likely be introduced later, with the budget merely outlining the new direction.

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# Air Canada woes concern travellers

## Consumer confidence. Some passengers willing to pay more on other airlines to avoid potential service issues

Air Canada has work to do to regain the confidence of passengers following flight cancellations, unresolved labour disputes and the closure of its main repair firm, industry ob-

servers said Wednesday.

Jeffrey Bodnarok, who was travelling with his family of six, carefully checked the status of his flight to Punta Cana on Wednesday before making his way to Montreal's Trudeau International Airport.

Bodnarok said he was concerned about the flight after cancellations last weekend, due in part to pilots calling in sick, and this week's closure of aircraft maintenance firm Aveos Fleet Performance.

"I was more concerned

that our flight was OK to leave today with what happened this week and everything is good for us," he said at the airport.

Air Canada has been plagued with labour troubles over the past year.

The airline and its pilots and mechanics have been engaged in a bitter contract feud that prompted the federal government to step in earlier this month. Ottawa has also had to intervene in previous labour disputes at the airline.

Travel agent Isabella Caporicci of NDG Travel in Montreal said some nervous passengers have shunned Canada's largest air carrier and switched to alternative airlines in order to avoid any disruption to their travel plans.

Some who view flying with Air Canada as "just too iffy" have even been willing to pay more or endure several airport connections for better service, Caporicci said.

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# PUT AN END TO THE ETIQUETTE ARGUMENT



**HE SAYS...**  
John Mazerolle  
metronews.ca/hesays

Since Adam and Eve first realized they should slap on a fig leaf if they wanted to appear in children's picture books, humanity has realized the importance of proper manners.

I feel strongly about all things etiquette, which is why I have written the following advice Q&A — a feat never attempted before by a columnist at my skill level.

**Q:** Should letter writers call you Mr. Manners or Ed Etiquette or what?

- Larry Letterwriter

**A:** Dear Larry: The works of Emily Post tell us that the proper way to begin a letter to a newspaper columnist include, "Your Excellency," "You sexy thing" and "You may have already won \$10 million!"

**Q:** We have new friends we like and we want to let them know we really appreciate their friendship. If I invite them over, how do I make them feel privileged to be there?

- Chipper & Perky Smith

## From the expert:

**"As you have new friends, I consider the question outside my expertise. I therefore asked a guy on the sidewalk, who said, 'Verbal re-enforcement is key.'"**

**A:** Dear Chipper and Perky: As you have new friends, I consider the question outside my expertise. I therefore asked a guy on the sidewalk, who said, "Verbal re-enforcement is key." Constantly telling your guests, "You're privileged to be here, you know," in a forceful tone will make a lasting impression.

**Q:** Where should I put the spoon after dessert? If it's served on a plate with a low rim, do I leave it inside the plate or on the side?

- Cornelius Hiram Flower-

bottom III, Esq.

**A:** Dear Mr. Flowerbottom III, Esq.: I have an excellent suggestion of where you should stick your spoon. Judging from your question, however, I have reason to believe you followed that advice many years ago.

**Q:** I'm dating one of those ultra-cooks who demands you cut cabbage at the proper angle, constantly serves the internal organs of some creature or other, and cuts radish rosettes with a speed and efficiency that makes you wonder how she obtained said internal organs. Recently, we've been arguing because she thinks I'm a slob and I think she's right but don't care. She's been getting picky about things like the proper utensil (I think she made up the "salad spoon"). Anyway, things aren't going well and I still haven't made any headway with her younger sister, so what do I do to clear things up?

- Between a rock and a hot plate

**A:** Dear Between: The important thing to remember here is that the steak knife — placed just to the right of the napkin — is the sharpest knife. Do what you will.

**Q:** What's the proper way to say goodbye to people you've strung along under the pretense of giving advice when you were really only filling space in a newspaper column for money?

A: So long, suckers.

# Hanging by a thread



FRANCOIS MORI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOS

## Expressive

### Getting 'hung up' in artistic work

Suspended by wires, Chinese artist Li Wei performs in the sky at La Villette in Paris on Tuesday. Li Wei, born in 1970, in Hubei, China, is a contemporary artist from Beijing. His work often depicts him in gravity-defying situations.

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## Captivating

### Some of his stunts are hair-raising

The artist has produced several self-portraits that involve his face reflected in mirrors in public places, photographs of himself crashing into walls and sidewalks, and many other potentially risky situations, according to the Daily Mail website.

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## Particularity

### Artists take work to new heights

The artists' scene in China today is moving away from sculptures and paintings to a more performance-based art, using photography and video, according to the Asian Art Coordinating Council. Many forward-thinking artists now use their body as a canvas.

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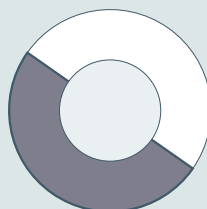
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**@cdnbeer:** • • • • •  
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**@daveshorrr:** • • • • •  
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**@khrismonegenege:** • • • • •  
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# Father's Day fear flick getting positive press from horror heads

**Father's Day is horror with a sense of humour.** Follows a one-eyed vigilante's hunt for a sodomitic serial killer



#### BACKSTAGE PASS

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Self-exploitation film? With the help of a legendary production company, Winnipeg filmmaking collective Astron-6 turned its fake trailer into its first feature.

Father's Day — a gory horror-comedy in the grindhouse tradition — received the full-length treatment at the request of Troma Entertainment, an American indie film production/distribution company known for such cult classics as *The Toxic Avenger* and *Surf Nazis Must Die*.

"I asked Lloyd (Kaufman, Troma co-founder) to do a promo for us and his assistant replied asking for \$600," says Adam Brooks, who is joined in Astron-6 by Matthew Kennedy, Conor Sweeney, Jeremy Gillespie and Steven Kostanski.

"I paid him \$400 and he did a promo. Weeks later I got a phone call from Matt Manjourides at Troma who was interested in distributing our short films. We negotiated a contract for our old shorts and they asked if we'd turn either *Father's Day* or *Fireman* (another Astron-6 fake trailer) into a feature. We debated which we would rather do, but Troma got back to us with 'Just make *Father's Day*.'"

Father's Day premiered at the Toronto After Dark Film

#### Other events

##### What else is going on?

- **Show.** Indie rockers Yukon Blonde play the West End Cultural Centre on Saturday. The Vancouver-based band is supporting its new album *Tiger Talk*. Regina's Library Voices and Winnipeg's Haunter open the show. Tickets are \$12 at the WECC, Music Trader, Winnipeg Folk Festival Music Store and Ticketmaster or \$15 at the door. Showtime is 8 p.m.

Festival in October and has since received a ton of positive press from horror culture magazines/websites including *Rue Morgue* and *Fangoria*. The film, which follows a one-eyed vigilante's hunt for a sodomizing serial killer, features a boatload of blood, gore, cannibalism and sex, consensual and otherwise.

If that all sounds extremely exploitive, it should be pointed out that *Father's Day* is horror with a sense of humour. It's silly, self-aware and presented in a taped off late night TV format.

"We are paying homage to our authentic childhood experiences, just like Quentin Tarantino and Robert Rodriguez did with *Grindhouse*," Brooks says, speaking of the 2007 action-horror/exploitation double feature.

"The difference is we didn't go to grindhouse theatres in the '70s. We weren't alive in the '70s! We watched VHS tapes and late night movies in our living rooms."

Father's Day screens tonight, Friday and Saturday at Cinematheque.

Admission is \$8 at the door and winnipegfilmgroup.com. Show times are 9 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. respectively.



Father's Day is a cheeky action-horror/exploitation film by Winnipeg filmmaking collective Astron-6. DENNIS SAPONG

## Aiming to Touch a global audience

### Kiefer Sutherland.

Show centres on communication, and they're trying to reach viewers like never before

Touch hero Jake Bohm is obsessed with numbers, and in a voice-over on this week's premiere episode, the otherwise mute 11-year-old numerologist shares an interesting statistic, "Today the average person will

say 2,250 words to 7.4 other individuals."

An average person, sure. But not Kiefer Sutherland in recent weeks. Sutherland (who plays Jake's devoted father, Martin) has lately been a chatterbox, talking up his show all over the world.

"I'm like the brainy student who blows the curve for the rest of the class," he says with a laugh. "I've met a lot of folks."

It's Monday, the morning after a Touch world-premiere screening in Manhattan, which came on the winged

heels of a global blitz that took Sutherland to London, Berlin, Madrid and Moscow. In a couple of hours, he'll be back on a plane returning to L.A., where, with the publicity campaign now just about over, he'll resume shooting Touch full-time.

But right now, he's got a few more words to voice about the show (which debuts Thursday on Global).

For instance, how the universal focus of Touch (created by Tim Kring, architect of the likewise far-flung ser-

ies Heroes) is reflected in its launch strategy. It's premiering in synch with the U.S. market in more than 100 other countries. Convening a global TV audience that way is unprecedented for a weekly drama series.

"If Touch can be the conduit for a conversation between 150 million people worldwide on a website — talking about things they have in common, as opposed to their differences — that would be amazing," muses Sutherland.

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Kiefer Sutherland. HANDOUT

# 2

## SCENE



#### Scene in brief

### Wilde to run for cancer

Nine years ago, actress Olivia Wilde ran, or rather walked, in the ELF Revlon Run/Walk. In May, she will host the event that supports women's cancer research with fellow first-time ambassador Emma Stone. The event is one of the largest single-day fundraisers in the U.S.

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#### On the web



Zsa Zsa Gabor's care subject of L.A. court case after daughter requests conservatorship



## Gere would like to forget Pretty Woman

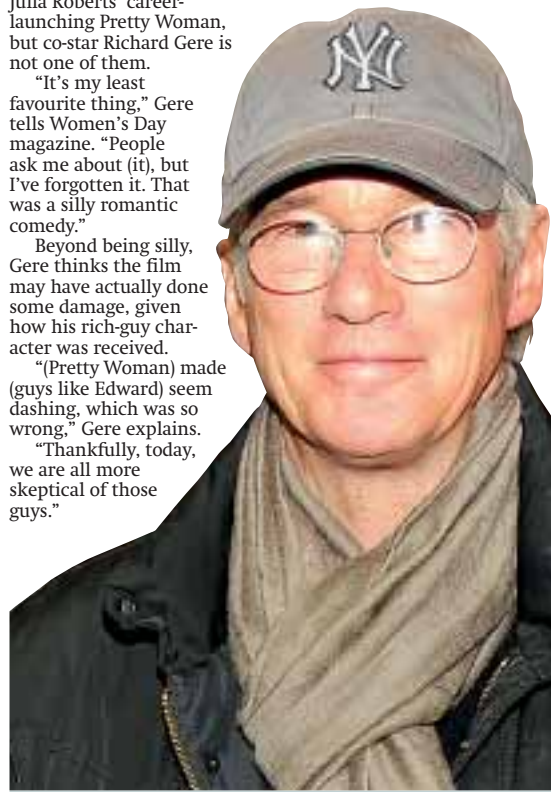
A lot of people still love Julia Roberts' career-launching *Pretty Woman*, but co-star Richard Gere is not one of them.

"It's my least favourite thing," Gere tells *Women's Day* magazine. "People ask me about (it), but I've forgotten it. That was a silly romantic comedy."

Beyond being silly, Gere thinks the film may have actually done some damage, given how his rich-guy character was received.

"(*Pretty Woman*) made (guys like Edward) seem dashing, which was so wrong," Gere explains.

"Thankfully, today, we are all more skeptical of those guys."



## Depp and Olson: What?!

According to *In Touch* magazine, Johnny Depp was "hunkered down" in Ashley Olson's apartment for 24 hours in February.

"It was quiet in her apartment, like it was just the two of them in there," an insider recalls. "It didn't seem like it was just a visit between

friends."

Whatever they were up to during their overnighter, it certainly left Johnny exhausted. When the star finally left the next day, "he looked like he was out of it," an onlooker said.

Johnny Depp look out of it? You don't say!

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OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

### The Word

### What's the situation with *The Situation*?



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There's something fishy going on with Michael "The Situation" Sorrentino, and it's not what you think (I know you're thinking "venereal disease," you dirty, dirty reader, you).

Nope. He's in rehab — but the reasons why are very murky.

Apparently, the Jersey Shore star became "dependent on prescription pills to counter-act his hard partying lifestyle, which included illegal substances. Mike was in a vicious cycle of not sleeping because of the illegal substances that he was taking, so he began using prescription pills to help him sleep," a source told RadarOnline.

"Mike would refer to the prescription pills as 'downers.' The good news is that he was the one that wanted to get help and checked into rehab. Hopefully with the proper treatment, Mike will be able to lead a sober life."

But his representative has denied all of this, issuing the classic "he's suffering from exhaustion" statement: "He is not in rehab for substance abuse. He has spent the last several



Michael "The Situation" Sorrentino  
GETTY IMAGES

weeks at an undisclosed location for much needed rest and recuperation after his extensive production and appearance schedule."

As for Sorrentino, he tweeted Tuesday night: "Don't believe everything you read or hear."

Now, I know I'm naive about how these things work. But if he is indeed in rehab for substance abuse, doesn't that mean he probably shouldn't be partying so hard when Jersey Shore goes back for filming the just-announced sixth season? With Snookie not drinking because of her pregnancy and *The Situation* refraining from "hard partying" because of his demons, what is to become of a show that is completely based around its characters getting wasted?

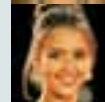
Jeez. Next thing you know, they're going to start using sunblock.

### Twitter



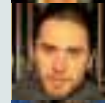
@Joan\_Rivers

So depressing. I can't believe I turned 78. I don't feel 76. I guess we all turn 74 eventually. Oh well, 72 is just a number...



@jessicaalba

Coffee please



@jaredleto

I love a nice cool rainy day. You?



@ConanOBrien

At some point, I'm going to have to tell my kids they're not adopted. They'll be crushed.

## Reese Witherspoon expecting baby No. 3?



Reese Witherspoon

Reese Witherspoon is reportedly pregnant with her third child — and first with husband Jim Toth, according to *Us Weekly*.

"Reese is right around 12 weeks," a source ex-

plains, adding that Witherspoon is "not planning to announce it."

But it's all said to be part of the plan for the couple, who tied the knot last year.

"Jim and Reese have been trying to get pregnant," a source says. "The timing is right. She's so happy."

Witherspoon also has a 12-year-old daughter, Ava, and an 8-year-old son, Deacon, with ex-husband Ryan Phillippe.

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# Imagine, a little Snooki

**Oh baby!** In honour of Hollywood's latest baby boom, we've come up with some predictions for what the round of expecting celebs' might dress their offspring in

**KENYA HUNT**

Metro World News in London

So far, 2012 has been especially busy on the celebrity bump front. Beyoncé kicked it off with little Blue Ivy. And waiting in the wings: Jessica Simpson, her ex Nick Lachey, Uma Thurman, Sienna Miller, Snooki (yes, her too) and, rumour has it, Drew Barrymore. That means more information than you'd ever want to know about Simpson's salted cantaloupe cravings and the frightening prospect of a little Snooki in Uggs. We dress their babies to be.



Miller's expecting... GETTY



...and Jessica Simpson definitely is. GETTY



Snooki's got a bun in the oven too... GETTY

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LIFE

Yay or nay?

## Hipster babies

### YAY

- Your kid will be the trendiest on the playground.
- Your child will learn the art of self-expression early.

### NAY

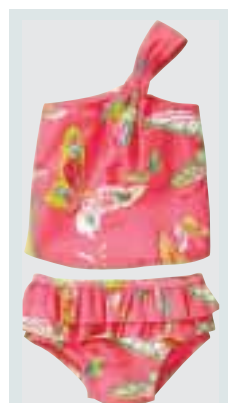
- Strangers on the street will dismiss your family as hipster clichés.
- You could blow the baby's college fund on clothes she'll outgrow in a matter of weeks.



On the Web



Top CFDA fashion prizes going to Johnny Depp, Tommy Hilfiger and maybe Olsens.



**Mini Jessica Simpson**

Baby Gap one-shoulder two-piece.  
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**Pint-sized Nick Lachey**

Appaman Polo  
\$40, appaman.com

Mini A Ture Arn in Sesame  
\$46, kidsen.co.uk



**Tiny Sienna Miller**

Kidscase organic dress  
\$37, kidsen.co.uk

**Lil' Snooki**

Mini Rodini Zebra Print infant bodysuit and leggings  
\$76, kidsen.co.uk



**Smaller Uma Thurman**

Marimekko dress  
\$69, kiitosmarimekko.com

## Fashionable ways to style your little ones for springtime

**Breton Stripes**



**Baby Gap bodysuit**  
\$11, gap.com

**Gingham**



**Bonpoint Loraine set**  
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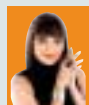
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# Diversity on the Canadian runway

**Challenging the norm.** Different figures, different faces on fashion's catwalks

Despite an ever-growing range of apparel and accessories available to consumers, a richer diversity isn't always reflected in the faces of those modelling the fashions. Lithe, leggy women remain a dominant presence in ads, editorial spreads and on the runways.

But some gains have been made in the fashion world to redefine these cookie-cutter images.

Jamaican-born Canadian model Stacey McKenzie recalls that when she first started out in the mid-1990s, there was little diversity seen among the models cast for shows.

"There was a couple of designers that had different ethnicities on the runway and those designers included Jean Paul Gaultier, Christian Lacroix, Yves Saint Laurent, Todd Oldham, maybe Tommy Hilfiger from time to time... but that was it," she said in an



A model walks the runway during the 2012 Toronto Fashion Week.  
NATHAN DENETTE/THE CANADIAN PRESS

interview at Toronto Fashion Week, where she walked in the Bustle show.

"Nowadays, everywhere you turn, there's more than one black girl... there's more than one Asian girl," she added. "I'm even seeing East Indian girls, which is so super cool because before, I would never see an Indian girl on the runway."

Women flaunting fuller figures are also making waves.

French fashion legend Gaultier and Canadian designer Mark Fast have featured plus-sized models in their shows. V Magazine and French Elle have had spreads showcasing plus-sized models, while "Vogue Curvy" is a dedicated section on Vogue Italia's website offering style and beauty tips for fuller-figured women.

Ryerson University's School of Fashion recently hosted Marketing vs. The Market: A Case for Diversity in Fashion, an interactive panel discussion exploring the need for and implications of diversity in the fashion industry.

Panel moderator Ben Barry is CEO of the Toronto-based Ben Barry Agency, which represents models of all different ages, sizes, backgrounds and abilities.

"I think really what was interesting was really how there is an accepted norm about what type of model is effective to sell a magazine or to sell clothing in an ad or on a runway, and so rarely is that idea challenged," he said, referring to one of the notable discussion points which emerged from the panel.

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## Making ceilings soar

**Decor ideas.** Do your walls have tall aspirations? Here's a few design tricks to make your ceilings appear higher.



**DESIGN CENTRE**  
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There was a time when eight-foot ceilings were considered the norm in apartments, condos and townhouses.

Over the last 10 years, many newer homes include soaring ceilings to make up for the smaller footprints of space being offered.

But if you're dealing with eight-foot ceilings don't despair; there are some designer tips to help make those daunting lower ceilings rise up to the occasion, in a stylish, modern way that you'll love.

### Paint

I have always subscribed to the old rule that ceilings should be white, and this idea holds even truer when ceilings are lower. A light ceiling will reflect light and draw the eye upward rather

than bring the ceiling down in to the room. A slight sheen to your paint will make small spaces with low ceilings look larger by reflecting and bouncing light around. When choosing colours for the entire room, it's always best to create a monochromatic scheme, keeping ceilings lighter.

### Window treatments

A vertical blind or drapery panels create tall lines in a room and stretch your view upwards. Tall, vertical patterns on draperies will help make the ceilings look higher. Draperies should be within the same colour as the colour of the walls to create a monochromatic colour scheme while still drawing the eye upward.

### Furnishings

Keep chairs and sofa heights to a maximum of 36 inches in height in order to create a low-slung, lounge effect; the lower we sit to the ground the higher the ceilings will appear. This rule holds even more true when choosing a bed and night tables. Keep area rugs colourful and dramatic in order to draw the eye down and away from the ceiling. Tall, floor standing mirrors are a great accessory and can help guide the eye upward (plus the mirror visually

enlarges a room).

### Mouldings and trims

Paint baseboards, door frames, interior doors and crown moulding the same colour and tone as the walls to create a contemporary and simple vibe; plus you add a few extra inches of visual wall height to the room with just the one colour.

### Artwork

Lowering all your artwork a few inches from the norm (the middle of the artwork should be 68 to 70 inches off the floor). This will create a greater distance from the top of the art to the ceiling, therefore suggesting the ceilings are a bit taller. This is a great trick in lower levels and basements, too.

### Light fixtures

The bottom of a chandelier or swagged lamp should be hung three to four inches higher than average over an eating table. The bottom should normally be 30 inches from table to bottom of fixture, so raise it to about 34 inches and it will visually help to push your ceilings up. Considering the height restrictions, consider a semi-flush light fixture rather than a hanging fixture; they can be just as decorative and yet are not made to hang low into a room (see top left).



Vertical patterns help to draw the eye up on curtains. Viceroy Velvet Drapes, \$108/panel. ANTHROPOLOGIE

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Graduates of the Medical Office Administrator program have gone on to work in a range of healthcare settings, including the Health Sciences Centre, Seven Oaks General Hospital and Four Rivers Medical Clinic. The program's curriculum is continually updated based on input from employer advisory councils and direct feedback from graduates, administrators, human resource professionals, and physicians. This ensures that students are developing the most up-to-date skills required by employers in the field.

"We are well-positioned to provide highly-qualified and engaged employees for this changing employment market," says Tahl East, campus director at CDI College in Winnipeg.

The Health Care Aide program was designed by a working committee representing the hospitals, regional health authorities and personal care homes. Under the direct

guidance of industry-experienced instructors, students acquire skills and confidence to become compassionate and caring professionals. The program includes a 240-hour practicum component in which students, under the supervision of an instructor, provide safe and structured care to seniors and disabled individuals living in personal care homes and hospitals.

"We wanted to deliver the highest quality education possible to future caregivers," East explains. "The committee presented their lists of competencies ideal candidates needed to have and we developed the program around them."

Strong practicum partnerships with employers such as Concordia Place, Misericordia Health Centre, Oakview Place, the Convalescent Home of Winnipeg and Holy Family Home, enable Health Care Aide students to gain valuable experience and demonstrate the quality of their education.

"We're communicating with employers to determine future needs of the industry and adapting curriculum in order to ensure the highest quality of education for our healthcare graduates," East adds.

For more information about CDI College's healthcare programs visit [mb.cdicollege.ca](http://mb.cdicollege.ca) or call 1-877-404-4355.

## French Toast with Salmon on Greens. A delicious brunch dish



1. Slice the baguette into ½-inch (1 cm) thick slices to get

### Ingredients

- Half of a baguette
- 3 eggs
- ½ cup (75 mL) 5% light cream
- 1 tbsp (15 mL) Italian parsley, minced
- ½ tsp (2 mL) smoked paprika
- ¼ tsp (1 mL) salt
- Pinch pepper
- 1 tbsp (15 mL) butter
- 12 cups (3 L) mixed greens
- 2 tbsp (25 mL) olive oil
- 1 tbsp (15 mL) lemon juice
- 1 pkg (4 oz/125 g) thinly sliced smoked salmon
- ¼ cup (50 mL) diced red onion
- 2 tbsp (25 mL) drained capers

12 slices. Set aside.

2. In a shallow dish, whisk together the eggs, cream, parsley, paprika, half of the salt and pepper. Dip each slice of bread into the egg mixture, turning it to coat well.

3. Melt half of the butter in a non-stick skillet over medium-high heat and panfry baguette slices for about 3 minutes turning once or until golden. Repeat with remaining baguette slices.

4. In a bowl, toss mixed greens with oil, lemon juice and remaining salt and divide onto 6 plates. Divide the baguette slices and top with thinly sliced smoked salmon. Sprinkle with red onion and capers.

EMILY RICHARDS

### Cookbook of the Week

Get in the Kitchen and COOK!

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Metro's own Emily Richards puts the focus on the busy family and people looking to entertain without a fuss in her second book, *Get in the Kitchen and COOK!* (Blurb Inc., \$35.95, paperback).

The release is chock full of simple, fool-proof recipes for any occasion. This book has everything from appetizers to desserts.

"I love food and I love the way food brings friends and family together. It's also a great way of sharing a lifelong skill. No matter what your age, background or interest, it's so easy to come together and talk about food and get inspired," says Richards. **METRO**

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# Radulov returns to Nashville

**NHL.** 'It's about time,' says Russian forward as he rejoins team that drafted him in 2004

Alexander Radulov has rejoined the Nashville Predators after four years playing in Russia in the KHL. How quickly he fits back in remains to be seen.

"Nine games is enough — hopefully," Predators coach Barry Trotz said after Radulov's first practice Wednesday morning.

For a situation frozen since Radulov bolted back home to Russia to be the face of the Kontinental Hockey League, it's been a whirlwind over the past two days that the Predators hope propel them to their first Stanley Cup.

Radulov arrived in Nashville on Tuesday night and was picked up at the airport by general manager David Poile. The Predators lifted their suspension of the forward Wednesday morning, then gave him his old No. 47 at a news conference before he hit the ice on a team that still has six teammates from his first stint in Nashville.

He said "it's about time" he returned to the NHL.

The Predators held that number for Radulov hoping the 15th pick overall in the 2004 draft would return even-

tually.

"It certainly wasn't fun in 2008 when he left. That wasn't a good thing," Poile said. "Maybe now this is a real good thing. Maybe now we get back a more finished product, a more mature person and player and maybe this works out really good for us. That's certainly what I'm hoping."

The Predators lost in the second round of the Western Conference playoffs last season, and Poile brought in defenceman Hal Gill and forwards Andrei Kostitsyn and Paul Gaustad at the trade deadline trying to plug holes. Nashville ranks fourth in the Western Conference with nine games left, trailing St. Louis by eight points both in the Central Division and for first in the West.

"He's a superstar," defenceman Ryan Suter said of Radulov. "He plays hard and has got a great shot, and it's fun to be out there with him."

Radulov left in July 2008 after signing a three-year contract with the KHL's Salavat Yulayev Ufa despite having a year left on his entry contract with the Predators. Nashville suspended him indefinitely in September 2008, though Poile stayed in touch trying to convince the right-winger to return.

"We knew you'd be back," Poile said as he presented Radulov the team's redesigned sweater with his old number.



Predators forward Alexander Radulov stretches with teammates on Wednesday. MARK HUMPHREY/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Trotz said his team leaders were excited at having Radulov back, and the coach already has noticed a different player.

"He's more mature in everything in terms of he's bigger. He's smarter. He's

more hockey savvy with more poise," Trotz said. "So yeah he's an improved version which is great because he was a good version when he was here."

Captain Shea Weber had stayed in touch with Radulov

by phone and in person at world hockey championships and other events.

"Obviously, we were hoping he'd eventually come back, and now he's here and it's exciting," Weber said.

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## Saints coach suspended 1 season over bounties

The NFL handed down sweeping and unprecedented punishment Wednesday for bounties paid out on big hits, suspending New Orleans Saints coach Sean Payton without pay for next season and indefinitely banning the team's former defensive coordinator, Gregg Williams, who now works for the St. Louis Rams.

Payton is the first head coach suspended by the league for any reason. He is accused of trying to cover up a system of extra cash payouts that NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell called "particularly unusual and egregious" and "totally unacceptable."

"We are all accountable



Sean Payton THE ASSOCIATED PRESS/FILE

and responsible for player health and safety and the integrity of the game. We will not tolerate conduct or a culture that undermines those priorities," said Goodell, whose league faces more than 20 concussion-related lawsuits brought by hundreds

of former players. "No one is above the game or the rules that govern it."

According to the league, Payton ignored instructions from the NFL and Saints ownership to make sure bounties weren't being paid. The league also chastised him for choosing to "falsely deny that the program existed," and for attempting to "encourage the false denials by instructing assistants to 'Make sure our ducks are in a row.'"

Goodell also banned Saints general manager Mickey Loomis for the first eight regular-season games next season, and assistant coach Joe Vitt for the first six games.

In addition, Goodell fined

the Saints \$500,000 and took away their second-round draft picks this year and next.

The Saints now must decide who will coach the team while Payton is barred — his suspension is effective April 1 — and who will make roster moves while Loomis is out.

After the NFL made clear that punishments were looming, Payton and Loomis took the blame for violations that they acknowledged "happened under our watch" and said Saints owner Tom Benson had nothing to do with the bounty pool, which reached as much as \$50,000 in 2009, the season the Saints won the Super Bowl.

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### Bounties

- Scheme.** The NFL said the scheme involved 22 to 27 defensive players.
- Targets.** Targeted opponents included quarterbacks Aaron Rodgers, Cam Newton, Brett Favre and Kurt Warner.
- Value.** "Knockouts" were worth \$1,500 and "cart-offs" \$1,000, with payments doubled or tripled for the playoffs.
- Rules.** All payouts for specific performances in a game are against NFL rules.

### NFL

## Jets and Broncos complete deal for Tim Tebow

The Broncos and the Jets have completed a trade to send quarterback Tim Tebow to New York.

The deal hit a snag earlier Wednesday when the Jets apparently balked at repaying

Denver more than \$5 million for a salary advance due Tebow. ESPN reported that the two sides had agreed to split that cost.

The Broncos also will receive fourth- and sixth-round draft picks, while New York gets a seventh-rounder — all in 2012 — as agreed to in the initial deal. Denver started shopping Tebow after signing Peyton Manning.

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Tim Tebow  
DAVID LIVINGSTON/GETTY IMAGES

### Baseball

## Carpenter won't be ready for opening day

Cardinals ace Chris Carpenter won't start opening day after a setback in his recovery from a bulging disk in his neck. Kyle Lohse will start in his place.

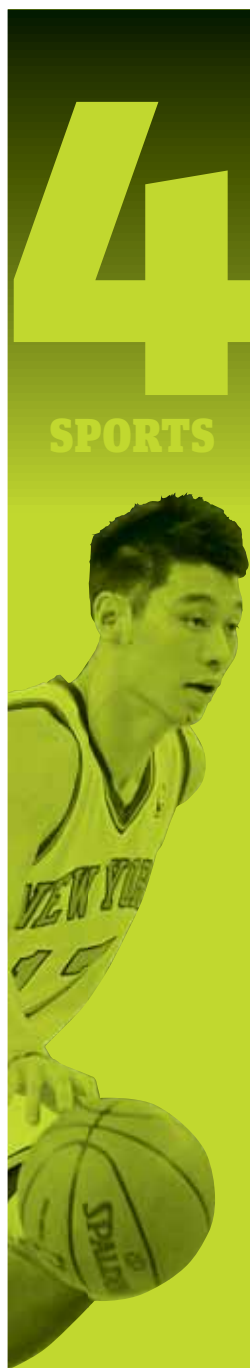
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### Soccer



"Without his heart having a muscular beat ... In effect, he was dead in that time."

Bolton team doctor Jonathan Tobin on the 78-minute period when Fabrice Muamba's heart stopped beating.



### NBA

## Coke wants in on 'Linsanity'

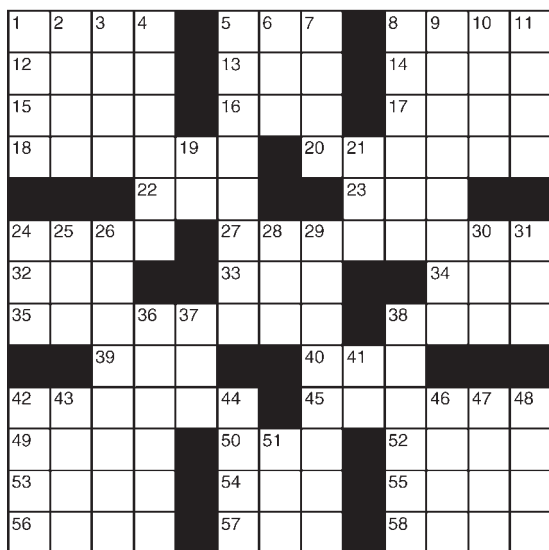
Knicks fans will soon see Coke ads in Chinese on the rotating courtside signs at Madison Square Garden. Coca-Cola spokeswoman Susan Stribling said Coke has a long-standing partnership with the NBA and already displays ads at The Garden, but wants to take advantage of the enthusiasm surrounding NBA sensation Jeremy Lin and the Knicks. Lin, a Harvard graduate, is the NBA's first American-born player of Chinese or Taiwanese descent. While he hasn't signed an endorsement deal with Coke, Lin has signed a two-year contract with automaker Volvo to promote the company's cars around the world, particularly in Asia.



## Crossword

## Across

1 Sleeping  
5 "Avatar" technology (Abbr.)  
8 Reverberate  
12 Georgia city  
13 Young fellow  
14 Thick chunk  
15 Poetic foot  
16 Work with  
17 Remedy  
18 Wood nymphs  
20 Meager  
22 Deterioration  
23 Annoy  
24 Harbor structure  
27 "The Defiant Ones" duo  
32 Web address  
33 Prot. or Cath.  
34 Genetic letters  
35 Breach in a levee  
38 "Hey, you!"  
39 Have a bug  
40 Way back when  
42 "Lord Jim" author  
45 Soft fabric  
49 Neighborhood  
50 Haven't paid yet  
52 Early primary state  
53 Dave of "Mad" magazine  
54 Rowing need  
55 Dance lesson  
56 Not good, not bad  
57 "— Doubtfire"  
58 Dame Myra at the piano  
**Down**  
1 Deserlike  
2 Wild hog  
3 TV trophy  
4 Come ashore  
5 Groups of grapes  
6 Petrol



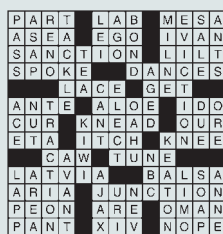
7 Mid-month date  
8 Steep slope  
9 Some old cars  
10 Rodgers collaborator  
11 Follow instructions  
19 "— as I say ..."  
21 Spy novel org.  
24 French nobleman  
25 Hockey great  
26 Laundromat alternative  
28 French possessive  
29 Butchers' tools  
30 Type measures  
31 Perched

36 Shrew  
37 — carte  
38 Shine  
41 "We Bring Good Things to Life" co.  
42 Urban fleet  
43 Sandwich cookie  
44 Armageddon  
46 November responsibility  
47 Rams fans?  
48 Spigots  
51 Doves' aversion

For today's crossword answers and for expanded horoscopes, go to metronews.ca



## Yesterday's answer



## Sudoku



## How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

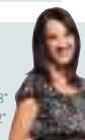
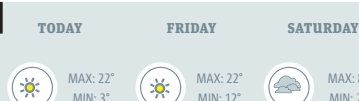
## Yesterday's answer



## Send a kiss

- **Baby.** I love you with all my heart. From the beginning of art class listening to Guns and Roses to four years later in the beginning of our adult lives. I can never imagine my life with out you. Im sorry for the few months of distance I shown you, but know I know more than ever I love you. Just as we always said Forever and Always. I Love You Baby From Doll Face :)
- **Barb.** Since you have come into my life I have been so happy. You have given me so much joy. Time spent with you is never boring, we laugh and carry on, we enjoy the same things, thank you for rescuing me. I hope to spend the rest of my days with you. From the blues man
- **Fever.** Are you saying i've got a fever for you, you are not nice to me? or that's really you have a fever? I do not know. from me?
- **My Miss.** Im so happy my dove didnt fly away till tomorrow I love you<3 From <3
- **Everyone.** So many love stories, so many parallel stories. Makes me wonder. From Goodluck

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JENNA KHAN  
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## Horoscope

## ♈ Aries | March 21 - April 20.

This is a special time for you and today's new moon will make it more special still.

## ♉ Taurus | April 21 - May 21.

Today you will be asking yourself why you said certain things or made certain decisions. Even if you won't find the answer, it's OK as long as you're thinking.

## ♊ Gemini | May 22 - June 20.

This is an important day for your ideas and your beliefs and the way that you interact with the world.

## ♋ Cancer | June 21 - July 22.

Today's new moon will give your personality added confidence and fizz. You are sure to make some kind of breakthrough.

## ♌ Leo | July 23 - Aug. 22.

Not everyone will approve of what you are planning to do but that just makes it even more attractive.

## ♍ Virgo | Aug. 23 - Sept. 22.

Today's new moon will inspire you to start something new but the only way you'll find time for it is if you let go of something old.

## ♎ Libra | Sept. 23 - Oct. 22.

Even if you make it clear that you are not remotely interested in someone else's opinions they will still make sure you hear all about it.

## ♏ Scorpio | Oct. 23 - Nov. 21.

It is of the utmost importance that you take time out of your busy schedule to reassure loved ones.

## ♐ Sagittarius | Nov. 22 - Dec. 21.

Very soon you'll have to knuckle down to some work, but for now it's all about fun.

## ♑ Capricorn | Dec. 22 - Jan. 20.

Make sure loved ones know what you think and how you feel. Make sure you know their views.

## ♒ Aquarius | Jan. 21 - Feb. 18.

Travel and social plans may be disrupted today but that's okay because you will gain more than you lose. Take it as it comes.

## ♓ Pisces | Feb. 19 - March 20.

This is the ideal time to confront certain feelings that you have been trying hard to deny.

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Nancy

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